PRYDA NZ CONTRIBUTION TO BOINZ AWARD:

This award is given to the individual or organisation that has made a significant impact to the advancement of BOINZ in the market place.

Award Presenter Robert Turner, Pryda

This passionate individual has been a building surveyor in Building Control for 21 years, and a BOINZ member for 20 years.

This person has held supported the Institute in numerous ways but most recently as a both Branch Secretary since 2011 and Branch Chairman since 2014. Through endless hard work in both roles he has been instrumental in increasing branch membership by 35% over this time.

This individual has achieved this impressive feat through a constant and dedicated effort to improve the quality of meetings, ensuring relevant content and importantly ensuring the meetings are spread across the large geographic region his branch covers, allowing members the best chance of attending.

He's super quick to get in touch with new recruits to industry and make them aware of the benefits of BOINZ membership which generally leads to a 100% join-up rate.

His Manager is often challenged with trying to encourage him to get back to his day job as he is so determined to do his BOINZ work! It comes as no surprise our recipient is very appreciative of his manager, for the support he gets.

While in the twilight of his career and therefore able to opt out of obtaining another qualification to satisfy Regulation 18, this award winner chose to instead show his support for BOINZ's objective to professionalise our industry and so put his hand up to obtain the dual Diplomas in Building Control Surveying – Small and Medium to Large Buildings. He successfully achieved this last year. A great effort and one to inspire others.

Ladies and gentleman, it is with great pleasure I welcome to the stage to accept the

"PRYDA CONTRIBUTION TO BOINZ AWARD" -

And Chairman of our Southern Branch

"BARRY HOLSTED"